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MAY, JUNE & JULY – 2020

Due to health issues, I was not able to get out my usual letter on time.

May – was filled with doctors appointments, blood tests & check-ups. Plus one trip to the ER that kept me in the hospital 4 days. With the assistance of my missionary son, home on furlough, we were able to attend church, as many of you, virtually and one outside service.

June – I began in home physical therapy two and three times a week. And continued attending services virtually. Follow-up doctors visits with several done only by phone. (By the way, I tested **negative** for the **Coronavirus** while in the hospital).

With the assistance of my son James & his family I was able to travel to Washington, GA and **preach** in the Wednesday evening service for Pastor Jimmy Chapman. It was a blessed service and his people just simply loved on us all (and fed us good too)!

July – so far has consisted of more follow-up with doctors, several by phone and even more tests. One ultrasound, in addition to those done in the hospital. I continue with physical therapy only twice weekly. And through all this I have kept up with my **every two week** cancer treatments locally in my doctor's office.

Today my pulmonary doctor gave me the results of a recent ultrasound, he said it was unchanged. Which I took as good news. But, before this phone visit, a hospital doctor called & gave me the results of tests done in May, which he passed on to Dr. Jeannot. Let me give it to you as reported by my daughter Laura: **“Dr. Jeannot, pulmonary doctor, said Dad does have tuberculosis. Test from Dad's sputum while in hospital in May finally came in (takes 4-6 weeks). It is the **“Atypical TB”**. It is the **“Atypical TB”**. It is not severe and can be treated. Dr. Jeannot said he could treat it himself but he wants to send Dad to an Infectious Disease office in Athens, GA. He also wants to communicate with Dr. Splichal, Oncologist, and he mentioned “speak with the professionals” due to all Dad's health issues and medicines”**.

In spite of all this, I am able to preach, for which I give God praise! Call me if I can be of service to you, as long as my son James & family can come along to help me. **My cell 770/823-9283**

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Gratefully yours - Dr. Phillip Allen

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